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Re: Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Kyle Cellular Corporation and Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. Pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Docket No. 98-00127 3 61-6009 3

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Kyle Cellular Corporation and Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. are hereby submitting to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority the original and thirteen copies of the attached Petition for Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement dated December 15, 1997. The Amendment changes the name of the companies from Kyle Cellular Corporation to ACC of Tennessee, LLC and Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. to ACC of Kentucky, LLC.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours.

Guy M. Hicks

cc: Stephen J. Easley, Vice President, External Affairs, ACC of Tennessee, LLC and ACC of Kentucky, LLC.

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
Nashville, Tennessee

In Re:

Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Kyle Cellular Corporation and Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. Pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Docket No. 98-00127 > 0/-00093

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE AMENDMENT TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND KYLE CELLULAR CORPORATION AND CELLULAR INFORMATION SYSTEMS OF FLORENCE, INC. PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 251 AND 252 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996

COME NOW BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and Kyle Cellular Corporation and Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. ("Kyle/CISF") and respectfully file this request with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "TRA") for approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement dated December 15, 1997 (the "Amendment") negotiated between Kyle/CISF and BellSouth pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. ("the Act"). In support of their request, Kyle/CISF and BellSouth state the following:

- 1. Kyle/CISF and BellSouth have successfully negotiated an agreement for the continued interconnection of their networks. The Interconnection Agreement was approved by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") on May 19, 1998.
- 2. The parties have recently negotiated an Amendment to the Agreement which changes the name of the company from Kyle Cellular Corporation to ACC of Tennessee, LLC and from Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. to ACC of Kentucky, LLC. A copy of the Amendment is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

3. Pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Kyle/CISF

and BellSouth are submitting their Amendment to the TRA for its consideration and approval.

The Amendment provides that either or both of the parties is authorized to submit this

Amendment to the TRA for approval.

In accordance with Section 252(e) of the Act, the TRA is charged with approving

or rejecting the Agreement between Kyle/CISF and BellSouth within 90 days of its submission.

The Act provides that the TRA may reject such Agreement only if it finds that the Agreement or

any portion thereof discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the

Agreement, or if it finds that the implementation of the Agreement or any portion thereof is not

consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

5. Kyle/CISF and BellSouth aver that the Agreement is consistent with the standards

for approval.

6. Pursuant to Section 252 (i) of the Act, once the Agreement is approved, BellSouth

will make the terms and conditions of the Agreement available to any similarly situated Service

provider.

7. Kyle/CISF and BellSouth respectfully request that the TRA approve the

Amendment negotiated between the parties.

Respectfully submitted,

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Bv:

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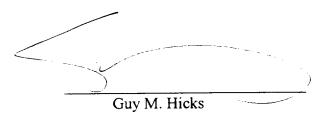
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Attorney for BellSouth

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Guy M. Hicks, hereby certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing Petition for Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement on the following via United States Mail:

Stephen Easley Vice President, External Affairs ACC of Tennessee, LLC ACC of Kentucky, LLC Suite 700 1155 Connecticut Ave., NW Washington, D.C. 20036



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## FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE

## INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN KYLE CELLULAR CORPORATION AND CELLULAR INFORMATION SYSTEMS OF FLORENCE, INC. AND BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. DATED DECEMBER 15, 1997

Pursuant to this Agreement, (the "Amendment") Kyle Cellular Corporation and Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Agreement between the Parties dated December 15, 1997.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

- 1. Kyle Cellular Corporation has changed the name of said business to ACC of Tennessee, LLC, a Delaware corporation and Cellular Information Systems of Florence, Inc. has changed the name of said business to ACC of Kentucky, LLC, a Delaware company. The Interconnection Agreement is hereby amended to reflect the name changes.
- 2. All of the other provisions of the Interconnection Agreement, dated December 15, 1997 shall remain in full force and effect.
- 3. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to each Public Service Commission for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

ACC of Tennessee, LLC	BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
ACC of Kentucky, LLC	() $-1/()$
By: WWW	By:
Name: Stephen J. Easkey	Name:
Title: Vice President External Affairs	Senior Director Title:
Date: 9/1/99	Date: 8/30/99